

# FUNDING ALERT



**Government of the District of Columbia**  
*Muriel Bowser, Mayor*  
 Mayor's Office of Partnerships and Grant Services  
 441 4<sup>th</sup> Street, NW (Judiciary Square)  
 Suite 707 North  
 Washington, DC 20001  
<http://opgs.dc.gov>

Volume 18, Issue 33

August 17, 2015

TECHNICAL AREA	OPPORTUNITY NAME	PAGE
News	<a href="#">OPGS Information</a> <a href="#">Electronic Grants Clearinghouse</a>	2-3 4
Education	<a href="#">District of Columbia Community Schools Incentive Initiative Grants (OSSE)</a>	4-5
Education	<a href="#">District of Columbia Early Literacy Intervention Grants (OSSE)</a>	5
Education/Nutrition	<a href="#">Farm Field Trip Grant (OSSE)</a>	5
Nutrition	<a href="#">Healthful Food Access Initiatives (DOH)</a>	5
Education	<a href="#">SAT Preparation Expansion Grant (OSSE)</a>	6
Education	<a href="#">Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Out-of-School Time Program (OSSE)</a>	6
Housing	<a href="#">Community Compass Technical Assistance and Capacity Building Program (HUD)</a>	6
Capacity Building	<a href="#">Rehabilitation Training: Vocational Rehabilitation Workforce Innovation Technical Assistance Center (DOE)</a>	6-7
Environment	<a href="#">Youth Conservation Services (DOD)</a>	7
Sports/Recreation	<a href="#">Funding for Sports Camps</a>	7
Education	<a href="#">Career Development &amp; Youth STEM Engagement</a>	8
Technology	<a href="#">Innovative Technologies to Assist People with Disabilities</a>	8
Miscellaneous	<a href="#">Miscellaneous Grants</a>	8
Economics/Education	<a href="#">Public's Economic Literacy &amp; Understanding</a>	8
Additional Opportunities	<a href="#">Additional Funding Resources and Announcements</a> <a href="#">Previous Funding Resources and Announcements</a>	9 9-10

**\*Note- press ctrl and left click to jump directly to opportunities of interest.**

# FUNDING ALERT

## NEWS YOU CAN USE

**THE OFFICE OF PARTNERSHIPS AND GRANT SERVICES**  
441 4<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Washington DC, 20001 Suite 707N (JUDICIARY SQUARE)

***The Office Of Partnerships And Grant Services Needs Your Help.*** Help us get 1000 likes on our Facebook page. If you like us you will get time sensitive information on funding opportunities, job announcements, upcoming events and more that might not be in the Funding Alert. **Like Us Now.**



**Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC).** *The Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC) registration form is now live on OPGS' website. The GIRC provides technical assistance and information about resources that improve community services in the District of Columbia for its "customers" - District government, nonprofit, and faith-based representatives. The primary focus is to assist customers who either lack computer access or the knowledge to best use their existing computer technology to strengthen their organizations. The GIRC is open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 2 p.m.-4 p.m., by appointment only. For additional information call 202-727-8900. [Please click here to schedule an appointment.](#)*



***Funding Alert:*** If you would like to post a **free event/resource announcement** in the Funding Alert, contact Pat Henry at [pat.henry@dc.gov](mailto:pat.henry@dc.gov). All back issues of the funding alert can be found at [www.opgs.dc.gov](http://www.opgs.dc.gov).

***District Grants Clearinghouse:*** District agency grant opportunities are listed in the Funding Alert. These opportunities can be found on the Office of Partnerships and Grant Services website at [www.opgs.dc.gov](http://www.opgs.dc.gov). All information that should be posted to the Clearinghouse should be sent to [dcgrants@dc.gov](mailto:dcgrants@dc.gov).

***State Single Point of Contact (SPOC):*** The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the DC SPOC. The application is available online on OPGS's website at [www.opgs.dc.gov](http://www.opgs.dc.gov) select State Single Point of Contact. If you need additional information call Pat Henry at (202) 727-0946.

***Contracting Opportunities with the District of Columbia Government:*** If you are interested in business/contracting opportunities with the District of Columbia Government visit the Office of Contracts and Procurement website at [www.ocp.dc.gov](http://www.ocp.dc.gov) and follow these instructions: click on "Solicitation"; click on "List All Opportunities" and finally click on "Electronic Solicitations". For additional information contact [Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov](mailto:Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov)

**VISIT US ON**



# FUNDING ALERT

Did you know that according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the District's nonprofit sector is the largest nonprofit employer by state, representing 26% of the workforce in the District of Columbia?

## Join us for the multi-sector **15th Annual Public Private Partnership Conference** “Building People, Building Stronger Organizations”

### The Nonprofit Sector Significance: A Pathway to the Middle Class

**Date:**

Monday, September 28, 2015

**Time:**

8:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Location:**

Gallaudet University -  
Kellogg Conference Hotel  
800 Florida Avenue, NE  
Washington DC, 20002

**Topics to include:**

- What are the employment needs of the nonprofit sector?
- Straight Talk: Encouraging Millennials to Seek Nonprofit Careers
- Potential funding and grant-making strategies for service providers

For more information and to register visit [www.opgs.dc.gov](http://www.opgs.dc.gov) or <https://www.nonprofitadvancement.org>

#### Featured Moderators:



**Bruce McNamer**

President & CEO  
The Community  
Foundation for the  
National Capital Region



**Glen O'Gilvie, CAE**

Chief Executive Officer  
Center for Nonprofit  
Advancement



**Chuck Bean**

Executive Director  
Metropolitan Washington  
Council of Governments



**Lisa Brown Morton**

President and CEO  
Nonprofit HR



# FUNDING ALERT

## Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

### Electronic Grants Clearinghouse

**The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services** is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets are available for the following notices at: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse> .

District Agency	Funding Opportunity	Deadline
Department of Health	Maternal and Child Health Services Block	September 4, 2015
	Psychosocial Support Services for Transgender Persons Living with HIV/AIDS	August 31, 2015
Department of Small and Local Business Development	DC Main Streets (Tenleytown and Van Ness Target Areas)	October 2, 2015
Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development	FY2016 Creative and Open Space Modernization	Rolling Application through June 1, 2016
	FY2016 Great Streets Retail Small Business Reimbursement Grants	September 14, 2015
	FY2016 New Communities Initiative Comprehensive Case Management Services	September 8, 2015
	FY2016 New Communities Initiative Comprehensive Youth Development	September 8, 2015
Department of Behavioral Health	DC Health Home Initiative for Individuals with Serious Mental Illness	August 21, 2105
	Implementation of the Adult Substance Abuse Rehabilitative Services (ASARS) Program	August 21, 2105
Office of the Secretary	Grant to Promote District of Columbia Voting Rights and Statehood	August 28, 2015

## Additional Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

**District of Columbia Community Schools Incentive Initiative Grants (OSSE).** *Office of the State Superintendent of Education* announces funds to establish two community schools in the District of Columbia to provide resources that will enable eligible consortia to create and enhance community-based partnerships and develop a framework for continued funding as well as ongoing evaluation of program success with a special focus on supporting the homeless student population. Request for applications will be released on August 21.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations and Local Educational Agencies

Deadline: 9/4/2015

Funds: \$350,000 is available for two awards up to \$175,000

# FUNDING ALERT

Contact: Yuliana Del Arroyo at (202) 741-0478 or [yuliana.delarroyo@dc.gov](mailto:yuliana.delarroyo@dc.gov)  
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD6140

**District of Columbia Early Literacy Intervention Grants (OSSE).** *Office of the State Superintendent of Education* announces funds to increase the percentage of third graders who are proficient or advanced in reading to 75% by 2016-2017 through implementation of an early literacy grant program targeting third grade reading success.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations and community-based organizations  
Deadline: 9/4/2015  
Funds: \$1,600,000 is available for awards  
Contact: Dr. La' Shawndra Scroggins at (202) 741-0264 or [LaShawndra.Scroggins@dc.gov](mailto:LaShawndra.Scroggins@dc.gov)  
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD6141

**Farm Field Trip Grant (OSSE).** *Office of the State Superintendent of Education* announces funds to increase the capacity of District of Columbia schools to participate in farm field trips as part of an integrated farm to school program. Request for applications will be released on August 28.

Eligibility: Independent school districts, nonprofit organizations, community-based organizations and Local Educational Agencies  
Deadline: 10/29/2015  
Funds: \$40,000 is available for awards up to \$1,500  
Contact: Erica Walther at (202) 442-8940 or [erica.walther@dc.gov](mailto:erica.walther@dc.gov)  
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD6144

**Healthful Food Access Initiatives (DOH).** *Department of Health* announces funds for programs that provide innovative healthful food access programming to income eligible District of Columbia residents. Request for applications will be released on September 4.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, for-profit organizations, and small businesses  
Deadline: 9/25/2015  
Pre-Application Meeting Information: A Pre-Application Conference will be held at the CHA offices, 899 North Capitol Street, NE, 3rd floor on Friday, September 11, 2015 from 1 pm to 2 pm. Please contact Amelia Peterson-Kosecki at 202.442.9140 or [Amelia.peterson-kosecki@dc.gov](mailto:Amelia.peterson-kosecki@dc.gov) for additional information  
Funds: \$1,175,000 is available for awards  
Contact: Amelia Peterson-Kosecki at [Amelia.peterson-kosecki@dc.gov](mailto:Amelia.peterson-kosecki@dc.gov)  
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD6139



# FUNDING ALERT

**SAT Preparation Expansion Grant (OSSE).** *Office of the State Superintendent of Education* announces funds to support programs that will increase the number of District of Columbia high school students receiving high quality test preparation services in school year 2015-2016. The request for applications will be released on September 4.

Eligibility: For-profit organizations, small businesses and Local Educational Agencies  
Deadline: 10/5/2015  
Funds: \$225,000 is available for awards  
Contact: Amelia Hogan at (202) 481-3481 or [amelia.hogan@dc.gov](mailto:amelia.hogan@dc.gov)  
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD6143

**Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Out-of-School Time Program (OSSE).** *Office of the State Superintendent of Education* announces funds for quality out-of-school time (OST) programs to provide academic enrichment opportunities for children who come from economically disadvantaged families outside of regular school hours. OSSE has a need for structured academic and enrichment OST programs that serve children during the regular school year and during the summer.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, for-profit organizations, small businesses and Local Educational Agencies  
Deadline: 9/9/2015  
Funds: \$65,000,000 is available for awards  
Contact: Office of the State Superintendent of Education at [OSSE.DELgrants@dc.gov](mailto:OSSE.DELgrants@dc.gov)  
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>  
Grant ID: GD6142

## **Federal Opportunities**

**Community Compass Technical Assistance and Capacity Building Program (HUD).** *Department of Housing and Urban Development* announces funds to support integrated technical assistance and capacity building initiatives that help communities navigate complex housing and community development challenges by equipping them with the knowledge, skills, tools, capacity, and systems to implement HUD programs and policies successfully.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, special district governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations, small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies  
Deadline: 9/25/2015  
Funds: \$44,900,000 is available for awards up to \$15,000,000  
Contact: Lauren Deigh at [Lauren.S.Deigh@hud.gov](mailto:Lauren.S.Deigh@hud.gov)  
Website: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>  
Grant ID: GD6146

**Rehabilitation Training: Vocational Rehabilitation Workforce Innovation Technical Assistance Center (DOE).** *Department of Education* announces funds to support projects that provide training, traineeships, and

---

# FUNDING ALERT

technical assistance (TA) designed to increase the numbers of, and improve the skills of, qualified personnel, especially rehabilitation counselors, who are trained to: Provide vocational, medical, social, and psychological rehabilitation services to individuals with disabilities; assist individuals with communication and related disorders; and provide other services authorized under the Rehabilitation Act.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 9/14/2015

Funds: \$3,500,000 is available for awards

Contact: Jerry Elliott at (202) 245-7335 or [jerry.elliott@ed.gov](mailto:jerry.elliott@ed.gov)

Website: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

State Single Point of Contact: This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgs.dc.gov/spoc.asp> for further information.

Grant ID: GD6145

**Youth Conservation Services (DOD).** *Department of Defense* announces funds to provide young adults and veterans with real life work experiences in stewardship of the environment by offering opportunities for education, leadership and personal development to and provide a high quality public service in natural resources/recreation management and conservation.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 9/12/2015

Funds: \$10,000,000 is available for awards

Contact: Lucille Smith at [lucille.r.smith@usace.army.mil](mailto:lucille.r.smith@usace.army.mil)

Website: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html>

Grant ID: GD6138

## **Foundation Opportunities**

**Funding for Sports Camps.** *Finish Line Youth Foundation* announces funds for youth athletic programs and sports camps, especially programs serving disadvantaged and special needs kids.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 9/30/2015

Funds: Awards available up to \$5,000

Contact: Finish Line Youth Foundation at [Youthfoundation@finishline.com](mailto:Youthfoundation@finishline.com)

Website: <http://www.finishline.com/store/youthfoundation/guidelines.jsp>

Grant ID: GD6149

# FUNDING ALERT

**Career Development & Youth STEM Engagement.** *The Optical Society Foundation* announces funds to support initiatives that improve optics education, provide career and professional development for students seeking optics and photonics careers, and that advance STEM education for youth.

Eligibility: Independent school districts, nonprofit organizations and Local Educational Agencies  
Deadline: 9/1/2015  
Funds: \$110,000 is available for awards  
Contact: Terence Rooney at [trooney@osa.org](mailto:trooney@osa.org)  
Website: [http://www.osa.org/en-us/foundation/programs/annual\\_program\\_grants/](http://www.osa.org/en-us/foundation/programs/annual_program_grants/)  
Grant ID: GD6147

**Innovative Technologies to Assist People with Disabilities.** *Google* announces funds for the research and development of technology that can expand opportunity and independence for people with disabilities.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations  
Deadline: 9/30/2015  
Funds: \$20,000,000 is available for awards up to \$1,000,000  
Contact: Google  
Website: <https://impactchallenge-app.withgoogle.com/gic-disabilities/#!/page/1>  
Grant ID: GD6150

**Miscellaneous Grants.** *Tomberg Family Philanthropies* announces funds to support projects in the areas of education, environment, and health and poverty alleviation. Letters of inquiry are required.

Eligibility: Independent school districts, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education and Local Educational Agencies  
Deadline: 9/18/2015  
Funds: Awards are available up to \$15,000  
Contact: Tomberg Family Philanthropies  
Website: [http://www.tombergphilanthropies.org/index.php?mode=PAGE&status=active&id=HOW\\_TO\\_APPLY\\_FOR\\_GRANTS&category=](http://www.tombergphilanthropies.org/index.php?mode=PAGE&status=active&id=HOW_TO_APPLY_FOR_GRANTS&category=)  
Grant ID: GD6151

**Public's Economic Literacy & Understanding.** *The Calvin K. Kazanjian Economics Foundation* announces funds for programs that raise public participation in economic education or create a demand for greater economic literacy.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations  
Deadline: 9/15/2015  
Funds: Awards are available up to \$22,000  
Contact: The Calvin K. Kazanjian Economics Foundation, Inc. at [director@kazanjan.org](mailto:director@kazanjan.org)  
Website: <http://www.kazanjan.org/grants/apply>  
Grant ID: GD6148



# FUNDING ALERT

## **Additional Funding Resources and Announcements**

**15<sup>th</sup> Annual Public Private Conference – REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN.** The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services in Partnership with the Center for Nonprofit Advancement will host its 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Public Private Conference entitled, “Building People – Building Stronger Organizations- The Nonprofit Sector Significance: A Pathway to the Middle Class” at the Kellogg Conference Center on the Campus of Gallaudet University on Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup> from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The conference theme focuses on the significance of the nonprofit sector as a major employer that according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics represents the highest percent 26.6% on nonprofit employment by State in the country followed by New York at 18.1% in 2012. The District and the Metropolitan Area in general nonprofit sector are often viewed as a service provider seeking funding rather than a major sustainable employer whose employees are well positioned to succeed on the Pathway to the Middle Class. For more information visit the Office of Partnerships and Grant Services website at [www.opgs.dc.gov](http://www.opgs.dc.gov) .

**Jovid Foundation Grant Opportunity.** The Jovid Foundation’s primary interest is in supporting District of Columbia nonprofit organizations that help District residents in or at risk of long-term poverty to become more self-sufficient. Because the Foundation is small and seeks to make a positive difference, it is particularly interested in funding neighborhood-based efforts that provide programs and services to low-income DC adults that help them obtain and retain employment. In addition, a small number of grants may be made from a discretionary fund. The Foundation makes grants only to organizations that are tax-exempt under Section 501(c) 3 of the Internal Revenue Code. The Foundation does not make grants to individuals or for projects that are sectarian in nature. Letters of interest are required and due on Tuesday, August 18<sup>th</sup>. To find out more about the application process and to determine if your organization meets the Foundation’s focus area, please visit [www.jovid.org](http://www.jovid.org) or call the Foundation’s Executive Director, Bob Wittig, at [202-686-2616](tel:202-686-2616) .

**Washington Architectural Foundation Pro Bono Design Services.** The Washington Architectural Foundation (WAF), the nonprofit arm of the Washington, DC, chapter of the American Institute of Architects (AIA|DC), is offering pro bono assistance to provide conceptual preliminary designs to nonprofit and community organizations that could not otherwise afford professional design services. Volunteer architects have worked on more than 180 projects in the fields of architecture, landscape architecture, interior design, space planning and more. WAF can help both mature and emerging groups meet housing, accessibility, health care, education, homeless services, artistic, cultural, and community development needs at the neighborhood level. Projects have ranged from highly complex ones like the recent volunteer-led transformation of eight public school libraries on Capitol Hill to space planning for the Bright Beginnings Child Development Center. Design services are primarily intended for nonprofits in the District of Columbia, although projects in the Washington, DC Metropolitan Area are also considered. For a list of past projects and the design services project application form, go to [www.wafonline/community-design-services](http://www.wafonline/community-design-services) or contact Daniel Fox at [dfox@aiadc.com](mailto:dfox@aiadc.com).

**Who's A Washingtonian?** HumanitiesDC has extended phase one of the Who's A Washingtonian? grant application period for two weeks deadline for pre-applications is now August 21. Final applications are due September 4. Ten \$5,000 grants will be awarded. If you have a project that brings two groups of Washingtonians together to spark interesting dialogue around a humanities-related project? Using the humanities disciplines as lenses, these projects will help Washingtonians better understand the ties that bind them such as music, literature, history, religion, and language. All applications submitted during phase one will be reviewed by staff, and applicants will be provided with feedback to improve their applications. At that time, applicants will be invited to submit final proposals by 11:59 p.m. on September 4 to be considered for this grant opportunity. For more information visit <http://www.wdchumanities.org/waw/> .

## **Previous Funding Resources and Announcements**

**Why Navigate the Legal System All By Yourself?** The D.C. Bar Pro Bono Center will help your organization locate pro bono legal counsel. Since 1998, they have matched almost two hundred nonprofit organizations with law firms in the District of Columbia. Some of the *successes included*: matching a nonprofit with legal counsel to help it negotiate a new commercial lease; secured legal counsel for a nonprofit that wanted to conduct a legal audit of its

# FUNDING ALERT

governance documents; found pro bono counsel to assist a nonprofit that was being audited by the federal government with respect to a government grant; matched a nonprofit with legal counsel to help it with a trademark dispute regarding its right to use its corporate name; secured legal counsel for a firm that was having performance issues with one of its employees. If you need help with a real estate matter, corporate governance, contract issues or employment matters, contact [lpaley@dcbar.org](mailto:lpaley@dcbar.org), and they will help match you with pro bono legal counsel.

**Free Home Internet for Low-income DC Families.** Connect.DC, the District's digital inclusion program, is partnering with EveryoneOn, Byte Back, and the United Planning Organization to provide six months of free home Internet service (\$60 value) to 500 DC families with school-aged children. This project is designed to help low-income children use technology to succeed in school. For more information visit <http://connect.dc.gov/free-internet>.

**In-Kind Capacity Building Grant Opportunity.** The Taproot Foundation announces its in-Kind Capacity Building Grant opportunity. The grant will provide professional consulting services, called Service Grants, through their Service Grant Program. Every Service Grant is provided pro bono by a team of 5-6 business professionals who volunteer their time and expertise to help a nonprofit in their community. Their project provides nonprofit organizations located Washington DC with the tools and services they need to strengthen your organizations and serve your communities. Their teams deliver excellent services, customized to meet the organizations specific objectives and help them advance its mission. Deadline to submit an application is September 1. For more information visit the Taproot website at <http://www.taprootfoundation.org/get-probono/get-service-grant>

**How to Utilize AmeriCorp Members - Serve DC-** the Mayor's Office on Volunteerism will offer 5 seminars to help organizations learn how to utilize AmeriCorps members to leverage the impact in their community. You can learn how to utilize AmeriCorps members to leverage your organization's impact in the community. AmeriCorps engages more than 75,000 Americans in intensive service each year at nonprofits, schools, public agencies, community and faith-based groups across the country. Since the program's founding in 1994, more than 900,000 AmeriCorps members have contributed more than 1.2 billion hours in service across America while tackling pressing problems and mobilizing millions of volunteers for the organizations they serve. Serve DC is offering organizations the F.R.E.S.H. Summer of Service Seminars to expand your organization's capacity to be a part of the AmeriCorps experience. For more information contact Pamela B. Weinberg at [pamela.weinberg@dc.gov](mailto:pamela.weinberg@dc.gov) or (202) 727-7937.

**The Home Depot Foundation: Community Impact Grants Program.** The Home Depot Foundation Community Impact Grants Program provides support to nonprofit organizations and public service agencies that are using the power of volunteers to improve the physical health of their communities. Proposals for the following community improvement activities will be considered: repairs, refurbishments, and modifications to low-income and/or transitional veteran's housing or community facilities (schools, community centers, senior centers, etc.); weatherizing or increasing energy efficiency of low-income and/or transitional veteran's housing or community facilities; engaging veterans as volunteers to help other veterans in their community through service projects focusing on the renovation, repair, and improvement of homes and other properties serving veterans; and planting trees or community gardens and/or landscaping community facilities that serve veterans. Priority will be given to projects for veterans that include housing repairs, modifications, and weatherization work. Grants of up to \$5,000 are made in the form of The Home Depot gift cards for the purchase of tools, materials, or services. Deadline for applications is September 1, 2015. For more information visit <http://homedepotfoundation.org/page/applying-for-a-grant>.

**Funding Alert** is a publication of the Mayor's Office of Partnerships and Grant Services. To start your own online subscription to *Funding Alert* or to access the archives, visit <http://opgs.dc.gov>, Information, Grant Funding Alerts. Any information to be posted in the *Funding Alert* should be submitted to [pat.henry@dc.gov](mailto:pat.henry@dc.gov) by the close of business on Thursdays for inclusion in the following week's issue.